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W. T. McDONALD OF NEW LENOX BURIED MONDAY

George Kennedy has resigned Deputy Sheriff office.

HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION

New Lenox, Sept. 12.—William T. McDonald, aged fifty-nine years, died at his home in New Lenox Saturday noon following a severe siege of illness. Mr. McDonald had been connected with the freight rate department of the Rock Island railroad at Hamilton Park for 12 years. He was visited by members of his office during his illness.

Mr. McDonald was born in Lindsay, Ontario, September 9, 1861. He lived in New Lenox for a number of years. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mis Edna.

Funeral services were held from the late home Monday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. J. L. Matlack of the Methodist church officiating. Burial was in Maplewood cemetery, New Lenox.

George Kennedy, who has served as deputy sheriff for New Lenox township for some time, handed in his resignation to the sheriff's office the past week. Mr. Kennedy states that the compensation connected with the office does not begin to pay for the amount of work which is required to [illegible] So far no successor has been appointed. Mr. Kennedy has had all kinds of experiences since he has been connected with this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence South of Watseka have been guests at the home of Mrs. John Searight the past week. Mr. Smith is the county clerk of Iroquois county, which office he has held for many years.

Mrs. Z. Kidwell has returned from California, where she was called some time ago by the illness of her sister, who is improving.

Mrs. Laura Rott of Plainfield has been visiting with New Lenox relatives the week-end.

Mrs. Allison Delong entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church on Wednesday. The ladies sewed for the bazaar which they expect to give in November.

Miss Carrie Bentley visited in Chicago the past week.

Silo filling is in progress. Farmers are finding it hard to get enough help.

Alfred Oram held a sale of cattle on the Olsen farm, on the Maple street road, Monday afternoon.

The Women's Missionary society met Friday with Mrs. Fred Francis. There was a good attendance and an excellent program was given. The lesson was "The Jubilee" and papers on this subject were read by the following:

Mrs. Edward Francis, Mrs. J. R. Bentley, Mrs. H. N. Dickinson, Mrs. J. L. Matlack, Mrs. Charles Francis.

At this meeting the annual election of officers was also held and the following were chsoen for the ensuing year:

President, Miss Harriett Francis; vice president, Mrs. James Owen; secretary, Miss Caroline Bentley; assistant secretary, Mrs. Archie Corp.

Home department:

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. R. Bentley; treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Brisbane; mite box secretary, Mrs. Wilbur Francis.

Foreign department:

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Chas. Francis; treasurer, Mrs. T. J. Doig; mite box secretary, Miss Mabel Oram.

The two departments, the home and foreign, of this society have raised $200 the past year for missions.

The next session of the Missionary society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. George Francis October 10.

Light Vote Cast.

A very light vote was cast here at the primary election Wednesday, the Republican votes predominating.

MOKENA LAND SOLD TO JOLIET MAN FOR $5200

Geo. J. Hacker, local real estate man negotiates the deal.

Mokena, Sept. 12- Carl Schneider of Joliet has purchased the property of Mrs. Phoebe A. Kilbourn well known as the old Wochenpfennig place. The consideration was $5200. Geo. J. Hacker, local real estate man negotiated the deal'

READ THE SPECIAL ADV. of E. D. Gillett on the back page.

FOR SALE--One new Victrola and records, one baby carriage, one soft coal heater, one No. 8 cook stove, all in good condition. One dozen pedigreed Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels reasonable. Inquire Mrs. Bonness, residing on former Henry Frick place, southwest side of Mokena.

FOR SALE-- House aud lot and cottage and lot. Inquire M. S. Brinckerhoff, Mokena.

CATTLE SALE

Geo. Barnes will sell 25 head of cattle on his farm west of Mokena next Monday afternoon commencing at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. A. E. Wachter entertained a few friends Wednesday afternoon at a farewell party in honor of Mrs. Edward Selbel. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

John Marti of Chicago has been spending a few days with Mokena friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackey and family of Chicaga, former Mokena residents, motored out Sunday and spent the day with the Lockwood family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wachter and family motored to Lockport Sunday and spent the day with the Fred Schuberth family.

SERVICES RESUMED.

Church services at the Methodist church were resumed for the first time since camp meeting, Sunday afternoon. A meeting of the official board was held at the closing of the preaching hour.

The Mokena public school opened Tuesday with a good enrollment. Mr. Flarghety is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reib have returned from a vacation spent in Colona.

Rev. W. J. Kemnitz has opened a parochial school in the Immanuel Lutheran church the past week. A good number of pupils have been enrolled.

The town board of auditors met with William Semmler, the town clerk, Tuesday afternoon. Bills as presented were audited and ordered paid. The accounts of G. W. Maue, ex-officio treasurer and supervisor, were examined and found to be correct.

While Albert Hentsch and Fred Steinhagen, Jr., were driving down Second street at a record-breaking speed Monday night, a tire blew out and the car got beyond control overturning on the walk in front of the V. H. Scheer place. The occupants were not injured, but the car was quite badly damaged.

Herbert Moriarity served as auctioneer Monday afternoon at a cattle sale on the Olsen farm on the Maple street road five miles west of here. Alfred Oram gave the sale.

Ernest G. Tonn, who has been serving the Taft school at Lockport as principal for several years, has quit teaching and has taken up a position with the Chicago Board of Trade.

The Mokena Men's club directed a moonlight picnic at Cappel grove Saturday night. There was a very large attendance. The next dance will be held September 20.

Mrs. M. Butz was taken quite ill the latter part of the week and is under a doctor's care.

Howard Beagley has joined the autoist circle by purchasing an auto.

Farmers in this section are actively engaged filling silos.

FRANKFORT IN A HIGH SCHOOL TUTITION TANGLE

Students sent home after attending high school one week.

OTHER INTERESTING NEWS

Frankfort, Sept. 12. — The Joliet in which this district finds itself tangle in which this district finds itself has embarrassed the Frankfort students greatly when they were ordered preemptorially to pack their books and leave for home at once while they were in their classes Friday noon. According to the story told the students had been barred from registering in July but that the local school officials had finally made an agreement with the Joliet Township High School officials that if the state board of education would authorize them to pay the $990.00 which this district is in arrears for tuition to the Joliet school they would pay same at once and the Joliet school agreed to accept the Frankfort students on these conditions. When the students were turned out Friday the local school officials found that something had slipped up on them. The head officials of the high school, it is charged did not authorize the expulsion of the students until their back tuition is paid. They claim someone exercised unauthorized authority. The local school directors hurriedly got together and Otto Herschbach went to Joliet Saturday to see what could be done to straighten out matters so the Frankfort students can resume their studies. A telegram was also sent to the state superintendent of schools asking his advise on the problem. The students have purchased many expensive books and the longer they are barred from school, the more they will lose in credits.

Wm. Bettenhousen has purchased a 10—20 Titan tractor and three bottom plow from Heusner and Mager the past week. Brown Bros., residing north of Mokena purchased a similar outfit from this same firm recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunter have returned from their honeymoon spent in the Dells of Wisconsin. They will go to housekeeping in Mokena soon.

Schuster Bros., have purchased the old Kampe homestead consisting of 315 acres for $140.00 per acre.

The Frankfort Royal Neighbors who recently voted against the increase in rates find that the society has adopted the new rates and the local Camp members will either have to pay the new rates or drop out.

The Frankfort Industrial Club will direct a dance at the Breidert grove Saturday night, Sept. 13.

IS APPOINTED DISTRICT MANAGER.

Herbert J. Lambrecht who has been connected with the Central Life Insurance Co., of Ottawa, Ill., as local agent has been appointed District Manager the past week. His new duties will include all of Will County and part of Cook County. Mr. Lambrecht's many friends congratulate him on his business success and fine new position.

A reception was tendered Gamble Hunter by a large company of friends at Chicago Heights Saturday night.

A reception was held in Chicago Wednesday night by Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hunter in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunter who were recently married.

H. J. Lambrecht has returned from a business trip to Ottawa.

Mrs. Edward Bettenhousen underwent an operation at the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, Tuesday. She is convalescing nicely. The same day Chas. Krapf underwent an operation at the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, for tonsils. Dr. W. V. Herges had charge of both cases.

Herbert J. Lambrecht has sold his soda fountain to a Streator party the past week.

Herman Scheer has returned from a trip to Minot, N. D.

TINLEY PARK MAN OVERCOME BY THE HEAT

Was tire joke an attempt at holdup? Gets best of attempted holdup.

Tinley Park, Sept. 12.—Fred Nielsen, well-known Tinley Park resident, was overcome by the heat Monday morning while cutting corn in his cornfield in the northwest part of the village. He managed to get in the shade of a tree and attracted the attention of neighbors. Albert Ickstadt took Mr. Nielsen home in the former's auto. Doctor Ickstadt was sent for, but he happened to be in Chicago at the time.

Edward Henke had an amusing experience Saturday night. While he was driving along the highway near the Daul farm he saw an auto tire lying in the road. He stopped his machine and got out of the car to pick up the tire. Just as he was about to pick up the tire it slid out of his grasp into a ditch. Mr. Henke noticed that some one was playing a trick. He got in his car, drove to the next corner, turned around and headed back to the same spot and found the tire lying in the road again. He ran his car onto the tire, stopped, got out and saw that a long piece of wire was attached to the tire and by which means it was pulled from the elusive grasp of the finder. Mr. Henke pulled in on the wire when he suddenly heard a rustling in the cornfield as if some one was running away. He placed the tire in his car and returned home. It is not known whether this was merely a prank of a practical joker or whether some auto holdups had planned to steal some unsuspecting autoist's car while he was out of it looking for the tire. Mr. Henke says the owner can have the tire by identifying same. The tire is a Goodyear make 34 by 4.

Louis Goesel and August Schmeckpepper also figured in an exciting auto ride coming through Burnham the other night. As they neared a railroad crossing they saw a machine standing near the crossing with the dimmer lights on. Mr. Goesel threw on his auto lights and saw two men standing on the crossing. They appeared to be preparing for a holdup as one was about to step on one side of the machine and the other on the opposite side. Mr. Goesel put on full speed and when he turned on his auto headlights the brilliant glare dazzled the supposed holdups so that they could hardly get out of the way quick enough to prevent being run over.

Miss Charlotte Meier, who is taking a nurse's training course at the Wesley hospital, Chicago, and her brother, Emerson, who has just returned from the navy after being in service for 21 months, visited with their aunt, Mrs. A. Ladwig, the past week. They have gone to their home in Oshkosh, Wis.

Rev. O. Barchwitz and his daughter, Mrs. Maaloe and her husband, have been guests of Rev. and Mrs. A. Ladwig the past week, also at the William C. Hollstein home. Mrs. Maaloe sang at the morning services at the German Methodist church Sunday.

Joe Rix returned the past week from army service, having been in the service for 27 months.

William F. Koehler had a birthday Sunday and a company of 73 neighbors and friends gathered to celebrate the occasion. A delightful time was enjoyed and the guests found Mr. Koehler a royal entertainer.

Mrs. Hans Hartman left Monday for a trip to North Dakota to visit relatives.

DOUBLE HEADER BALL GAME AT ORLAND

Two Lockport Teams Will Play the Orland Team at Wagner's Grove at Orland Sunday Afternoon. One Game Called at 1 O'clock the Other at 3 O'clock. A Big Crowd is Looked For.

MATTESON IS PAID VISIT BY ROBBER BAND

Fortmiller store entered cash and merchandise taken.

HEALTH CLINIC MAKES VISIT

Matteson, Sept. 12. — The store of Geo. H. Fortmiller was robbed Wednesday night. Burglars gained entrance thru an upstair window by climbing onto a lean top of the building. About $50 in cash, some cigars, overalls, etc., was the loot taken. Mr. Fortmill did not know that the store had been robbed until he opened up for business the next morning. Geo. Peterson has taken the prints with the hope of getting a line on the thieves.

NEGRO ARRESTED; TOTED GUN.

A negro from Chicago Heights was arrested Thursday night by Officer Geo. Peterson after he had been reported as suspicious. When searched a 38 caliber revolver was found in his hip pocket. He was taken to Chicago and turned over to the county authorities Saturday morning.

OBITUARY.

Carl Meier, a farmer residing near Matteson, succumbed to a lingering illness on the 2nd of September. He was born Sept. 4, 1848 in Niederschlesinsen, Germany. At the age of five years he came with his parents to America and resided at Chicago for a short time. Later they moved to Green Garden where he was confirmed on March 29th 1863 in the St. Peter's church. In 1869 he was married to Miss Dora Kohl of Green Garden. From Green Garden they moved to Missouri where his father died. He also resided for some time in Kansas and Frankfort, Ill. At the time of death his age was 70 years, 11 months and 29 days. He is survived by his wife and seven children, August of Kansas, Edward, Carl, George, Andrew in Matteson, John Meier. Four children, Henry, Louis, Carl and Albert died during past years. He was buried on September 4th in the St. Paul's Evangelical cemetery at Richtonthe, Rev. Mr. Hosto of Matteson officiating.

On Sunday, Aug. 31 the Matteson baseball team crossed bats with the Frankfort squad and a lively game was played. Alfred Grosche and Wm. Schafer were the battery for Matteson. The score was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Matteson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Frankfort	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	—5

On Labor Day the Matteson team played with the following score:

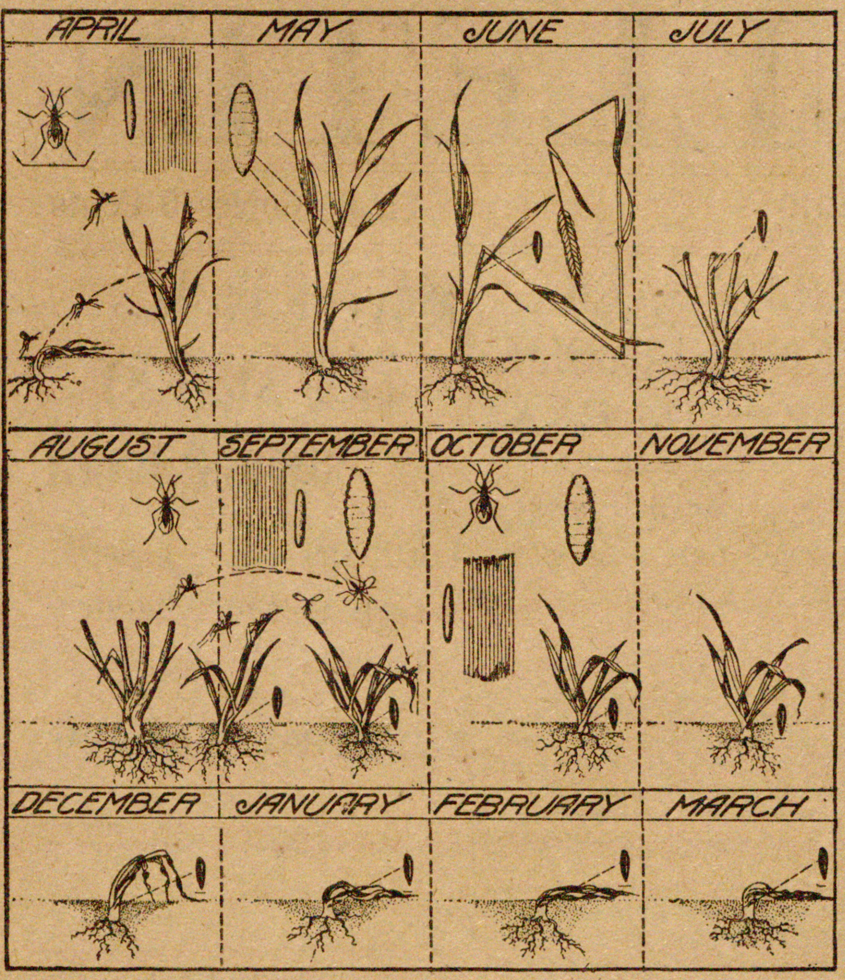
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Matteson	6	5	0	1	0	3	5	5	1	—26
Crete	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	—3

MOTOR DISPENSARY.

The Chicago Tuberculosis Health Clinic visited Matteson last week looking for cases needing attention. The Chicago Tuberculosis Health Clinic, a motor dispensary that has been in operation in Cook County for the past two months has made two visits to Matteson. The Health Clinic's prime objective is discovering early cases before they are too far advanced to respond to treatment. A nurse and a doctor accompany the traveling health clinic. The recent epidemic of influenza has left many in a weakened physical condition and the advice is to have a thorough examination made of your chest. The clinic will undoubtedly soon stop at Matteson again and everyone in need of help should not let this opportunity go by. Announcement of the next visit will be made in due time.

English services at the Zion Evangelical church Sunday, September 14, at 7:30 p. m.

WHEAT GROWERS SHOULD WORK TO AVOID LOSSES TO 1920 CROP BY HESSIAN FLY



Development of Hessian Fly From Egg to Adult.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Losses to the winter wheat crop from Hessian fly have been rather wide spread. Losses are reported in the Shenandoah and Cumberland valleys. Straw-fallen wheat due to this cause was commonly observed in these regions where the percentage of infestation by the Hessian fly has very materially increased this year. Reports received from the western half of the Mississippi basin also indicate increased abundance of the pest.

No Remedy for Pest.

Growers of winter wheat should put into practice at once measures advocated by the United States department of agriculture to avoid losses to the 1920 crop by the Hessian fly. There is no remedy for the pest when once it takes possession of a crop of wheat. Injury can be prevented solely by keeping the fly out of the wheat. The department experts say the following methods are effective:

Do not sow wheat on stubble if possible to avoid doing so.

Plow under all infested stubble and ruined wheat where practicable soon after harvest, especially where this does not interfere with the growing of clover and forage grasses.

Destroy all volunteer wheat by harrowing, disking, plowing, or otherwise.

Plow Early and Deep.

Plow all land to be sown to winter wheat as early and deeply as existing conditions permit and prepare a thoroughly pulverized and compacted seed bed.

Conserve moisture against a period of drought at seeding time.

Use the best seed procurable.

Keep the soil in good tilth and, most important of all, sow winter wheat during the fly-free period as advised by local farm advisers or state experiment stations.

Community action in these measures is absolutely essential to complete success.

STORAGE HOUSES IN DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Insulated Potato House Is Best Adapted to South.

Aroostook Type Is Distinctively a Product of Maine and Confined Largely to That State—West Uses Storage Cellars.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The insulated potato house is not used extensively, and as a rule is better adapted to southern than to northern climates. The construction feature of such a house is the thorough insulation of its walls, ceilings, doors and windows. In northern locations such a house must be heated by a stove.

The Aroostook type of storage house, with concrete or masonry walls and wooden superstructure, is distinctively a product of Maine and confined largely to that state. It is expensive and is always located on a side hill or knoll in order that advantage may be taken of a ground level entrance. The basements are usually from 8 to 12 feet deep, and most of them have a capacity of several thousand barrels. Generally the only provision for ventilation is by trapdoors in the floor through which the filling of the bins is completed. Occasionally a ventilator is found in the roof.

These houses, although practical in Maine, will never supersede the dugout pit or storage cellar now used in the middle and far western states. Each of these types of storage has distinctive features which peculiarly adapt it to its own environment, but do not necessarily preclude use in other localities.

The artificially refrigerated potato storage house is confined practically to the storage of northern grown seed potatoes held in cold storage for second crop planting in the South. It is thought that community cold-storage plants of this type could be profitably used by the southern truck growers.

Protein in Millet.

When millet is cut at the proper stage—when the seed is soft—it contains about as much protein as timothy hay or good corn fodder.

NECESSARY FOOD FOR TREES

Fruit Grower Must Furnish Barnyard Manure or Fertilizer—Legume Crop Is Good.

Since all trees get their food from the soil, it is up to the grower to furnish barnyard manure or a good commercial fertilizer. Perhaps the most economical and dependable agency is the legume crop, and it not only gathers nitrogen, but also furnishes humus, thereby replenishing the soil.

FOR MAKING SPRAY SOLUTION

Most Satisfactory Method of Cooking Lime-Sulphur Is With Steam and Large Kettles.

Thoroughly reliable concentrated lime-sulphur solution may be compounded on any farm. The most satisfactory method of cooking is with steam; but an ordinary large kettle (such as is used for butchering) may be used over a fire when steam is not obtainable.

BEST EQUIPMENT FOR GARDEN

No One Can Enjoy Work With Crude or Unsuitable Implements—Work Is Made Easy.

Garden equipment is essential for best results in making a garden. No one can enjoy work with crude or unsuitable implements. All realize how easy hard work may be with the right kind of facilities for doing it. This is true in garden work. Garden implements cost so little in comparison to their value that no one can afford to get along without them. The same may be said of farm implements and needed equipment in general.

Too Flimsy for Potatoes.

Slat or veneer barrels are too flimsy for potatoes. They crush and break easily and should not be used for heavy produce.

Improving Pastures.

The first step toward improving unproductive pastures should be the destruction of weeds.

POULTRY ·FACTS·

WHITE LEGHORN IS POPULAR

Most Widely Kept of Egg Breeds—Markets Prefer White Eggs and Pay Premium for Them.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Egg production doubtless is the leading branch of poultry keeping, and, in addition, is a very important agricultural activity. According to the last census the eggs produced in the United States in 1909 numbered more than 1,591,000,000 dozens, with a value of more than $306,000,000. Eggs, of course, are produced wherever chickens are kept, and by far the greater part of the egg crop comes from the general farm, yet large so-called egg farms have been developed with the main purpose of producing eggs for market. The largest of these egg farms and the greater number of them are located near markets which pay a premium for white eggs; and for this reason, together with the fact that eggs are primarily desired, the breeds kept are those known as the egg breeds, such as the Leghorn, Campine, Minorca and Ancona. The Single Comb White Leghorn is undoubtedly the most popular and the most widely kept variety of the egg breeds. These breeds comprise the Mediterranean and Continental classes, as given in the American Standard of Perfection. The egg breeds frequently are found on general farms also, particularly in those sections near markets preferring a white egg, and where considerable flocks of poultry are kept.

Splendid Flock of White Leghorns.

TURKEYS ON GENERAL FARMS

These Birds, as a Rule, Are Raised in Small Flocks Where Range Is Plentiful.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Many turkeys are raised in Texas, as well as a considerable number in Mississippi and Alabama and in western Florida. As a general proposition these birds are raised in small flocks on general farms, where plenty of range is available. Under such conditions they usually yield a profitable income. Not many ducks are raised in the South, but considerable interest is displayed in geese production, while guineas also are raised on many farms. Guinea eggs are used on the home table, as well as being marketed, but as a rule the guineas are allowed to run wild and are not produced on any scale for market purposes.

SUMMER FEEDS FOR CHICKS

Fowls in Confinement Must Be Supplied With Abundance of Green Feed and Meat or Milk.

Chicks and fowls in confinement during the hot weather must have lots of green food and meat or milk, or both. If they are on free range they can obtain much of their meat food in the form of bugs and worms and can add to their variety of grain the various vegetable growths that they obtain by foraging. This is equally true of the fowls.

POULTRY NOTES

Keep the house and yard clean.

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Give a heavier feed of grain in the evening.

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Keep poultry free from lice and the house free from mites.

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Feed grain in straw or other litter to make the hens scratch for it.

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OLD AND NEW WORLD LINKED

Roots of Country's National Life Not Exclusively Planted This Side of the Water.

The American Revolution was unquestionably a great historic event by reason of its connection with the formal institution of a new nation, but the roots of our national life were not then planted. They run back to the first settlements and the first chapters and agreements, nor is the genesis of the nation to be found there; sharp as are the beginnings of our history on this continent, no student could content himself with a conception of our national life which took into account only the events and conditions determined by the people and soil of America. Even in actual relations between America and Europe there never has been a time when the Atlantic has not been an ebbing as well as a flowing tide, and the instinct which now sends us to the Old World in passionate pilgrimages is a constituent part of our national life.—H. E. Scudder.

Wavering Confidence.

"Figures won't lie!" declared the statistician.

"Maybe you're right," answered the mild-mannered citizen. "And yet, somehow, I can't put explicit faith in the numbers that go up on a taxicab register."

If people didn't have hobbies the world would soon cease to revolve.

A tree is covered with bark and a dog is usually lined with it.

OLD-TIME RULES OF CIVILITY

Undoubtedly Were Taken Seriously in 1675, but Would Seem Somewhat Elementary Today.

There was published in 1675 a curious book called "The Rules of Civility," and one of the things impressed upon the reader is that "being in discourse with a man, 'tis no less than ridiculous to pull him by the buttons, to play with the bandstrings, belt or cloak, or to punch him now and then in the stomach; 'tis a pleasant sight, and well worthy of laughter to see him that is so punched, fall back, and retire, whilst the other, insensible of his absurdity, pursues and presses him into some corner, where he is at last perceives he is in danger." Further, the reader is informed that "it argues neglect, and to under-value a man, to sleep when he is discoursing or reading; therefore good manners command it to be forbid; besides, something there may happen in the act that may offend, as snoring, sweating, gaping or dribbling."

The Proper Treatment.

"I have a terrible cold," he complained. "My head feels all stopped up."

"Have you tried a vacuum cleaner?" she queried sweetly.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A pneumatic hammer for tamping paving stones has been invented.

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Off-Color Days

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Feature That Is Now Insisted On by Leading Parisian Dressmakers.

SOME GIVE PANNIER EFFECT

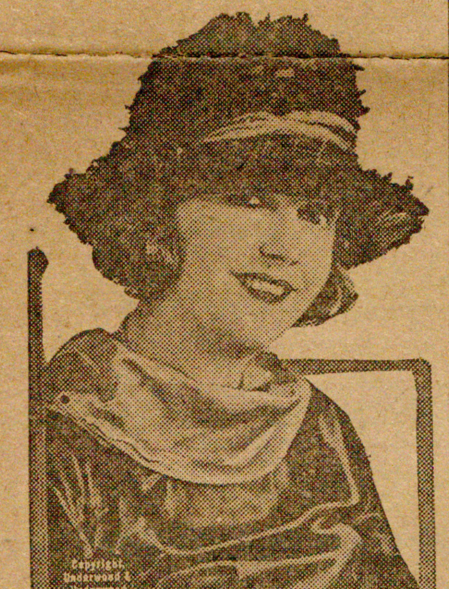
Startling Novelties, It Is Sure, Will Figure In the Gowns for Autumn, but Long-Waisted Bodice Will Be Retained.

The most striking feature of the autumn suits and gowns is the increasing fullness at the top of the skirts. The ways in which the great French dressmakers achieve this fullness are interesting. One point on which most of them agree is that the fullness must be massed across the hips, leaving both front and back perfectly flat.

Bulloz, however, has departed from this by introducing fullness across the front of his new skirts, thereby differing from the other designers. He makes one skirt with a full front panel gathered across the top. A little above the knee this panel has its fullness joined to a shaped flounce cut so that the greatest fullness of the flounce is at the edge where it joins the panel.

An instance in which Bulloz, like the other designers, placed the fullness at the sides appears in a skirt which has winglike pockets to give the effect of panniers. This is decidedly new and unusual on a suit skirt. The jacket which accompanies it flares from the waist, giving such fullness about the hips that it approaches the point of clumsiness. But although both skirt and coat are so very full at the hips the skirt still remains narrow at the hem.

Mme. Jenny does something novel in the way of achieving hip fullness by making a skirt of very slim outline and applying to it rolled plaits which stand out over the hips. To make them even more pronounced she pads these rolls, which swing loose from the belt and disappear gradually into the narrowing fullness of the skirt lower down.



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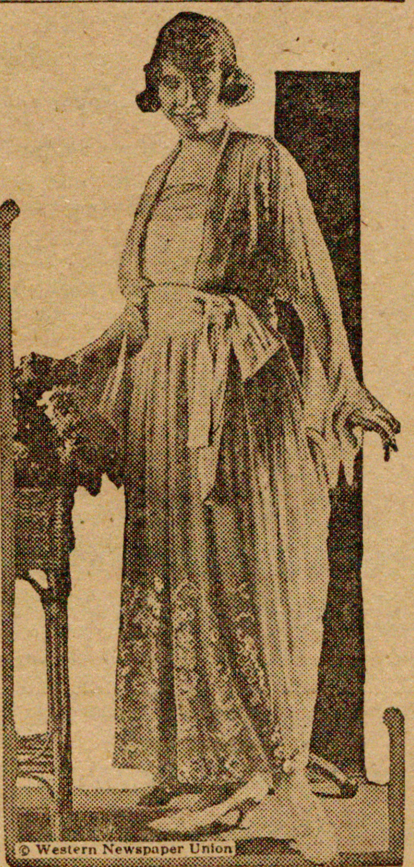
BROWN VELVET HAT.

A brown velvet hat flecked with small loops of henna chenille.

The chemise dress, which has held the center of the fashion stage for so long, was originally launched by Jenny. She still makes chemise dresses, which have been her favorites for the last three years, but she does something which fits them to hold their own among the wider hip models. Now Jenny's chemise dresses have wide panels hung at the sides and turned up in a way that gives the effect of a bunching hip basque. She also puts bulging pockets on the skirts of her tailored suits and lines these pockets with satin, arranging them to look as if they were turned inside out.



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FOR AFTERNOON WEAR.

Dress of cream georgette over flesh crepe de chine. Lace and delicately tinted ribbons make this charming.

Side Gore Trimmings.

Bernard's method of adding width and attaining the full effect in the skirts of tailored suits is by side gore trimmings which take the form of ruffled pocket flaps standing away from the figure. This is not an entirely new idea, for these outstanding pockets have been used on the front of skirts, but this creator gives them further elaboration by the ruffled flap. The coats which accompany skirts of this sort are three-quarter length and cut flaring with the fullness falling over the hips. On these coats are placed fringed pocket flaps and sometimes dangling button trimming.

Paris dressmakers are vying with one another in introducing startling novelties that are just now having their first showing. A craze of the moment is the frock from Premet shown at the extreme right. Jade green satin is the material used for it and the embroidery is of jade and silver. Premet, in this model, obtains the breadth across the hips by placing double frills of silver lace down the sides of the skirt, bordering a tablier panel; thus creating an entirely new silhouette. The satin bodice is snugly molded to the figure and a sash of the satin placed about the waist disappears beneath the panel at the front.

Latest Hip Flare.

The fluted or plaited tunic is another method of producing the fashionable hip flare now so characteristic of the newest frocks. Taffeta is frequently used for models of this sort.

The long-waisted bodice appears in almost all of these models. A black taffeta day gown featuring such a bodice and the fluted tunic is sketched today. The half low neck is round in outline and embroidered with claret colored bugle beads. The sash, which is really a continuation of the long bodice, has its ends fringed with deep red bugles.

Dance Frock Comes from Paris

Evening dresses still have very little in the way of bodices. Black satin skirts topped only by bright colored sashes produce some of the new dance frocks. From the house of Brandt in Paris comes such a dance frock. It is simply a black satin skirt attached to a sash. The long, slender train is made of ribbon. A vivid bit of color is introduced by having the sash corsage and train of orchidee pink satin ribbon. The ribbon used for the train is very much narrower than that which forms the sash bodice. The shoulder straps are of jet beads. Slippers of orchidee satin with stockings to match are worn with this frock.

Autumn hats are neither large nor small but of medium size. The Chinese note is conspicuous in them, bright Chinese silk embroideries being used to form round crowns which are completed by small uprolling brims of fur.

Hint From Russia.

It is some time since Russia has been looked to as a source of fashion, but that designers are turning their thoughts toward that country is evinced by a high draped Russian turban formed of gray felt and trimmed at the front with full sprays of fancy gray feathers.

Still another hat showing Russian influence has a small crown with an upturned brim curved high in front. Softly draped satin forms both the crown and brim which are embroidered in heavy threads of blue silk.

To correspond with the flaring hip frills of frocks, many of which have wider edges, are bell shaped hats having as their trimming wired ruffles of taffeta which cross the top of the crown.

Vogue for Yellow.

Pale yellow is exceedingly dear to Dame Fashion these days. There are cunning little frocks of yellow batiste for kiddies and gauzy dance frocks of yellow georgette and tulle for debutantes. Wraps of dark satin are lined with mais and other yellow shades, and yellow silk stockings are the dernier cri with spring pumps.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

by MARY GRAHAM BONNER

Ed. the AUTHOR

NICK AND NANCY TALK.

"Of course," said Nick, "the more friends we have the better we like it."

"It would be nice to have more and more friends all the time," said Nancy. "Lots of friends whom perhaps we never see, but who like us, and want to hear about us and our thoughts and what we do. Even if they don't know us to talk to, they can know us so well by hearing about us. Then, too, they can hear the stories Daddy has to tell us. In that way we can become friends, for they can know our Daddy through his evening tales.

"Wouldn't it be nice," she added, "if before a week was over we added so many, many friends, all over the country, and that each friend we had told some other friend about us?"

"It would be splendid," said Nick. "I think perhaps our friends will tell other friends of theirs about us. You're a nice, sensible girl; you can climb a tree and you can see a mouse without crying. In fact, you like mice! And I'm a nice boy, so won't they all like us?"

"Well, you do flatter yourself, sir," said Nancy. "Still, we like other boys and girls, so it would be nice if we all become such friends, and if each time they saw us and heard of one of our adventures they would smile and say:

"'Glad to see you, Nick and Nancy. What have you been up to now? Have you any new queer friends, and has your Daddy something new to tell us?'"

"And it would be awfully nice," said Nick, "if sometimes some of our friends wrote us and told us what they had been doing, of some new game they had been playing, or of some animal they had just seen for the first time. There might be a chance of our getting the letters if they posted them to us, care of Mary Graham Bonner, 607 West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, New York City; in fact, an excellent chance. That really would be exciting! Do you think they like us enough to do that?"

"You're a nice brother; you don't tease, and if you do, it's all in fun and not in meanness. You teach me how to do things, instead of saying:

"'Cry-baby, can't come along.' I'm sure they'll like you. If we get into a scrape, you take your full share of the blame. You're such a nice brother!"

"Think of the fellows who have sisters who are nothing but little babies. I'm lucky, I am."

They smiled at each other, Nick and Nancy did, for they are such good pals.

"Let's say we're going to become better and better friends all the time," said Nancy. "We've been getting new friends ever since other boys and girls read about us and our nice Daddy and the Evening Tale he told us every evening. That has been quite a long time now, but not too long!"

"Dear me, dear me!" said a sweet voice, and, looking around Nick and Nancy noticed that it came from the direction of the sugar bowl.

"Dear me, dear me," it said again, "I'm glad to see how nice you two children are today, so good-natured and well-behaved. Just like myself!"

"Don't be so proud, Sugar Bowl," said the Salt Cellar. "I remember the day, and not so long ago, either, when you were very scarce and when you didn't give much of your sweetness at all."

"But you're never sweet," said the Sugar Bowl, "and though sometimes there has been but little of me, what there has been, has been sweet."

"True enough, but I give seasoning to food," said the Salt Cellar. "Life would be very dull without seasoning."

"Listen, Salt Cellar," said the Sugar Bowl, "you'd better keep out of this story. Nick and Nancy have a plan to ask their friends to introduce them to their friends in turn, and only things like myself should enter into the story."

"Oh, very well," said the Salt Cellar, "I never was much on receptions. Sugar and tea and ice cream and cake and boys and girls go together far better at a party, so I'll stay away today. I'll come in another time, instead."

The Sugar Bowl smiled. Have you ever seen a sugar bowl smile? It's a hard thing to believe; but, never mind, this sugar bowl smiled, and it said:

"Boys and girls, I live in the same house with Nick and Nancy, and while they're not as sweet as sugar, they are a nice pair. Don't you think so?"

Little Like the Sun.

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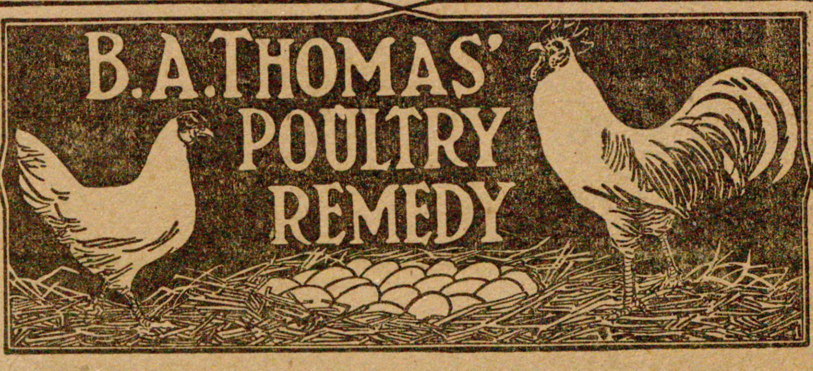
The high churchman uses candles and the Baptist dips.

Although she may not get much credit, the woman behind the broom raises a lot of dust.

No man ever comes half-way up to the expectations his mother had of him when he was a boy.



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Mr. and Mrs. George Scheneman have moved in with the former's mother.

Mrs. Clarence Keir of Chicago is visiting at the J. P. Keir home.

Christina Bertha Schoeneman, child of Mrs. Bertha Schoeneman, nee Metzger, was baptized in the Evangelical Zion's church August 31. Rev. Mr. Hosto officiated.

BAND CONCERT.

Labor Day evening the Matteson band gave an open air concert on the lawn of the town hall. The boys appeared in their uniforms and were greeted by a good sized audience. The music was fine. Many selections were played. It is only too bad that we can not have more of its kind. We ought to have open air concerts, community singing and moving pictures. What do you say?

Geo. Templin attended band practice at Riverdale last Tuesday evening. Mr. Templin went up because he likes music and takes every opportunity to learn.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Matteson Public and High schools opened last Tuesday. All the teachers reported in on time. Miss Ella McGuire, 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades has 43 pupils; Miss Ella Willer, 4th, 5th and 6th grades has 37 pupils in her room; F. Lustfeldt in charge of the 7th, 8th and 9th grades has 39 pupils in his room. The 9th grade has an enrollment of 11 pupils. Those attending are: Merle Prator, Edward Musich, Mark Hodgkin, Wm. Hodgkin, Merele Gillett, James Reese, Altaina Hodgkin, Barbara Fuches, Alma Grosche, Arline Freeland, Arthur Schaper.

Algebra, English, General Science and History are the studies taken up by this class. These studies run parallel to the studies of other high schools.

Mr. J. C. Hanna, supervisor of high schools writes: "It is clearly understood that the fact that you are giving part of your time to the grade school this year is not to interfere with the recognition of your school as a two year high school, since you have only the 9th grade in operation. Of course next year, that is 1920-21, it will be necessary for you to give all of your teaching time to the 9th and 10th grades and an additional teacher should be employed for the lower grades."

He further states, "I am much interested in the development of the two year high schools in Cook County and lately visited the schools and conferred with the directors at Bartlett, Greenview and Oak Lawn where they are starting things up very much as you are doing in Matteson. I congratulate you."

Foolish Old Customs Survive.

St. Olav's Grammar school, once worth $150, is now valued at $25,000, but the rent is still a bunch of roses. The ancient city of Chichester must provide a string for the king's "cross bow," while the lord of Bryanston, in Dorset, must provide a boy with a stringless bow and unfeathered arrow, whenever the king makes war on Wales. The tenant at Bradley, Great Wood, near Grimsby, must pay the mayor of Grimsby a wild boar, or its equivalent in cash, yearly.—London Times.

Whiskers Explained.

The early Jews were literally long on whiskers and made good use of them. The Jew's beard was a sort of standing notice to the world concerning his state of mind. If everything was propitious—wife and children well and business good—his beard was combed out and perhaps oiled. But if death had entered his family, his beard was a mere tangled mass of hair. The condition of the whiskers also indicated the existence of other emotions.

Powerful "Fourth Estate."

The "fourth estate" is the newspaper press. It is so designated humorously as a distinct power in the state. Formerly the phrase designated the persons constituting the lowest and unrepresented classes of society, as distinguished from the commons.

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That like produces like is just as true among seeds as it is in animals. Two seed ears do not have the same value and the only way to obtain a high-yielding strain of corn is to start with ears that you know something about, and the field is the only place where that can be learned. You cannot tell much about the seed if you wait to select it from the shock when it is being husked and of all poor places to expect to get good seed the corn crib is the worst. The beginning of a good corn crop is found in the seed used and what we do right now in getting our seed will determine in part what next year's crop will be. Selection from the field allows for: 1, an opportunity to study the mother plant; 2, an opportunity to select early-maturing ears; 3, a selection of better type. The mother plant should be a good average, well-matured plant, carrying at least one good-sized ear placed on the stalk about three or four feet from the ground. Never select from diseased plants, nor is it a good plan to select from plants growing singly in hills. They have had undue advantage and hence may not represent the average. An attempt should always be made to take the earliest matured ears, since an early-maturing strain is desirable for this part of the country. Seed corn selection is an important business. All you need is a sack and good pair of eyes. Follow down two or three rows at a time.

One should always select about twice as much as he will need for his own use. This will give him a wider choice and enough seed for next year in case there is a bad seed year. Good seed corn will keep for two years if properly cared for. The storage is another important factor. It pays to cure your seed corn. Corn which appears to be hard and firm on the cob has from 20 to 40 per cent of moisture in it at the time it is picked. The quicker this moisture is reduced to 12 to 15 per cent the better. You cannot depend upon nature to do this. It is dangerous to risk it. You can cure your corn right in the kitchen where you have the fire. Good matured, properly cured seed corn need give no one any worry. Select your seed corn now. It is good business.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The directors of the Richton public school had the schoolhouse painted and renovated. It looks fine. The school opened Tuesday with Miss Fanning of Chicago as teacher.

John Muff and family visited with friends at Frankfort over Labor day.

Holy communion was served last Sunday at the Lutheran church. Many partook of it.

Dr. J. F. Kettles, dentist from Chicago, is opening an office at Matteson. Doctor Kettles expects to be at Matteson on Wednesdays from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., and also on Saturdays at the same hours. A dentist is what we need at Matteson. Let us give this man our patronage.

Fred Krumwiede is sick at home with a lame back.

Ed Reichert is in Minnesota looking over some land.

The Scharnhorst, Grosche and Krabbe families had their winter supply of wood cut last week, Mr. Krabbe furnishing the power.

Arthur Mahler was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Henry Schoeling purchased an Oilpull tractor from Arthur Mahler. The ground is hard and dry this fall and it is utterly impossible to do any plowing with horses. The tractor is therefore the only solution.

Miss Olga Scare of Convoy, O., is visiting with the Becker family. Miss Scare expects to visit here for some time.

Miss Lydia and Arthur Becker have returned from a two weeks' vacation. Both returned to work again on Tuesday.

Miss Ella Grosche has returned from a six weeks' visit with her brother, Carl, in North Dakota.

Joe Lennon has had his tonsils removed at the Chicago Heights hospital, Doctor Hercules performing the operation.

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Owing to the illness of Mrs. Augus Pfleger the ice cream parlor which has been operated by the Pflegers in connection with the Mokena hotel, has been given up the past week. Mrs. Pfleger is still in the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet.

Good Way to Clean Pipe.

The following is one of the simplest methods of cleaning a tobacco pipe: Cut one-half inch from the end of an ordinary cork and fit it tightly into the bowl of the pipe. Then with a knife cut a hole through the cork wide enough to admit the nozzle of a water tap with a little pressure; turn on the water gently until the flow through the stem is sufficiently strong, and let it run until the pipe is cleaned.

Change Wrought by Time.

The old-fashioned boy who used to be tickled to death when his daddy gave him a nickel to spend now has a small boy who doesn't know that there are any coins below the half dollar.

Taking a Plebiscite.

Plebiscite is a political term borrowed from the French, meaning a vote of all the electors in a country taken on some specific question. It is from the Latin plebiscitum, a decree of the plebs, or law made by the common people, and is somewhat similar to the referendum. A notable example of the use of the plebiscite in French history was in 1852, when the memorable coup d'etat of 1851 was confirmed and the title of emperor was given to Napoleon III.

As Usual.

"Will you have another cup of coffee?" the landlady asked the boarder He shook his head. "The spirit is willing, but the coffee is weak."

Make It Brief.

It may not be of much interest to you, Mr. Visitor, but the fellow who asks you how you feel today doesn't want to listen to a lot of symptoms. Remember that.—From (Hot Springs) Arkansaw Thomas Cat.

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INSURANCE AGENTS WANT MORE FEES.

A meeting of fire insurance agents is billed to be held at Streator on September 24. The object is to form an organization of these agents with a view of advocating for higher insurance premiums. The agents contend that in the face of the advance of everything in the line of living and otherwise the insurance companies still pay the same premium rate to their agents as was paid 25 years ago. A number of Mokena fire insurance agents have received invitations to attend this meeting.

CHURCH NOTES.

The Evangelical Brotherhood Film association of St. Louis presented the Evangelical church in motion pictures at the Mokena hall Sunday night. There was a good attendance. Edwin [illegible]rion and Immanuel Crusius, students of the Eden Theological seminary of St. Louis, gave an interesting account of the work of the Evangelical church throughout the country.

G. Kreis and H. Rohrsen of Cedar Falls, Ia., have been guests of Rev. and Mrs. William Kreis and family the past week.

F. Peschera of St. Louis has been entertained at Reverend Kreis' home the past week.

The confirmation school of St. John's German Evangelical church opens September 15 with Rev. William Kreis in charge.

Rev. Carl Freitag has returned to Stevens Point, Wis., after spending a few days with Rev. William Kreis and family.

The teachers' meeting of the St. John's Evangelical church was held Monday night. Misses Alma Bechstein and Mildred Hacker, who attended the Evangelical Sunday school convention at Beecher the past week, gave detailed reports of this session.

The Brotherhood of St. John's Evangelical church met Wednesday night at the Mokena hall. Rev. William Kreis and William Neithammer, who attended the brotherhood gathering at Elmhurst as delegates last week, gave an interesting report of the meeting.

Rev. G. Plassman and family of Bensenville, Ill., have been spending a few days with the Kreis family.

Arthur Kreis has enrolled as a student in the Greer Motor college in Chicago.

Friday morning Miss Charlotte Marouse stepped on a needle which had been used in sewing up burlap in packing furniture and which had been left sticking in the floor. The needle penetrated the right foot and broke off. The head of the needle was embedded in a piece of bone when it broke off. Miss Marouse was taken to the office of Dr. W. V. Hedges at Frankfort, who operated on the injured foot and got out the broken needle. Miss Marouse is getting along nicely.

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According to the statisticians of the food administration, it takes 28,000,000 eggs a year to clarify this country's soup.

FARMERS CONFER WITH PRESIDENT

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These five men, representing farmers in 24 wheat and corn growing states, had a conference with President Wilson. Means of reducing the high cost of living was the subject of the discussion. Left to right, they are: D. O. Thompson, Illinois; John G. Brown, president of the Indiana Federation of Farmers' Associations; A. B. Bradfute, Ohio; J. R. Howard, Iowa, and F. C. Crocker, Nebraska.

FARMERETTES AND THEIR CUCUMBERS

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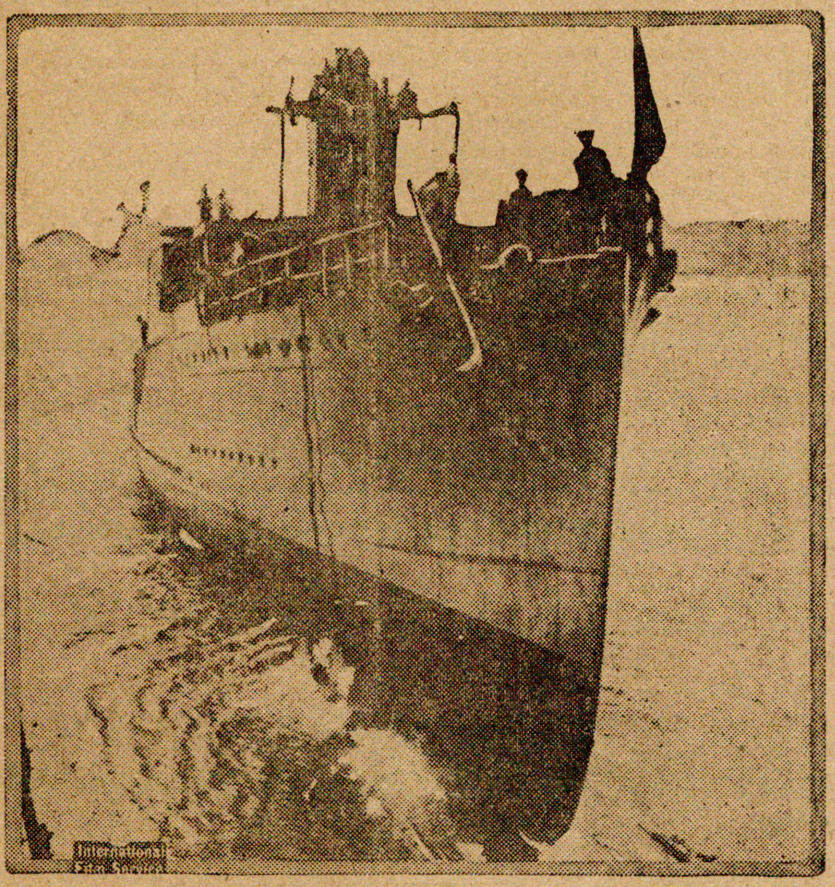
These three girls inspecting some cucumbers they have raised are members of the land army unit of the National League for Women's Service on the league's farm near Washington.

OUR NEWEST TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER


International Film Service

The torpedo boat destroyer Kane taking to the water at its launching at the New York Shipbuilding company's yards at Camden, N. J. Its sponsor was Miss Florence Kane, niece of Surgeon Elisha K. Kane, U. S. N.

To Clean Brown Leather Bag.

Brown leather bags may be cleaned by rubbing on a thick lather of pure white soap. Apply it with a sponge, rub hard, let it remain on a few minutes, then wipe dry with flannel cloth and polish with vaseline; rub this in with bare hand; rub very hard; don't use too much and wipe it off well and your bag will look nice.

Language That Will Live.

Language is the vehicle of thought; and the tongue which can most quickly and clearly put that thought across between buyer and seller, between thinker and inquirer, is the language that will prevail. Languages are alive because they have kept up with the march of thought and events; and those that have not are dead.

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BEST SHOT OF HER AGE

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Miss Marjorie F. Kinder, although only fourteen years of age, is a national rifle champion with small-bore arms. Miss Kinder is without equal for her age in the United States. She is a member of the Winchester Junior Rifle corps. Our photograph shows Miss Kinder on the range at Caldwell, N. J., where she displayed her unusual ability as a crack shot in the national rifle matches.

Eye for Business.

The small son of a physician in Scottsburg was sent to the drug store the other evening by his mother, and told to hurry back. While waiting for the clerk to get to him he heard a gentleman at the soda fountain order a root beer and saw him throw six cents on the counter. After a few moments' deep thought the boy swaggered up to the counter. "Do you sell two of those for 11 cents?" he asked the clerk. "Yes," was the answer. "Then give me one, too," the boy said, putting his nickel down carefully by the man's six cents.—Indianapolis News.

Luxurious Living.

"They charge for putting on a tablecloth and forks and spoons!" exclaimed the man who was studying the restaurant menu.

"Don't say anything about it!" whispered his wife. "If you discuss it in such a way as to bring it to general attention they'll probably think they ought to collect a luxury tax in addition."

CONDENSATIONS

The puddles in the holes in the pavement of the Southwest boulevard, Kansas City, got to be so large that somebody put up signs, "No Fishing Allowed."

Peru was fortunate during the war in having for sale one product, sugar, the demand for which never slackened.

Out of eight hundred thousand women in Texas, only 7,000 paid their necessary poll tax in expectation of voting on future elections of the year.

European experimenters have found that adding from 30 to 50 per cent of graphite to negative arc light carbons produces a stable arc and reduces the shadow.

The men of Portugal, as a class, have the reputation of being the best dressed in the world.

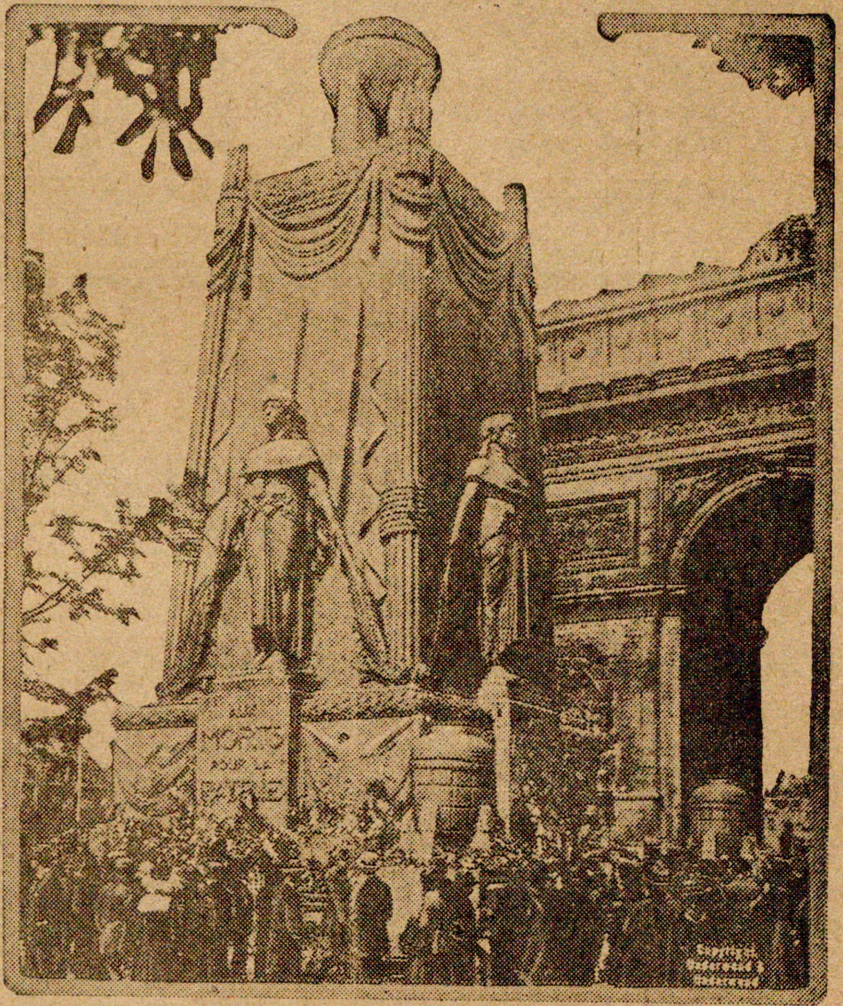
Grapefruit was introduced into Florida by the Spaniards. The true name of the fruit is "pomelo."

Queen Elizabeth was exceedingly superstitious, and she took the precaution to consult an astrologer before naming the day for her coronation.

Parasol a Mark of Honor.

It was not until the eighteenth century that the parasol became distinctly an article of feminine costume. Large and elaborate parasols have from time immemorial been a mark of honor and official dignity in the Orient. In India, in 1877, when the then prince of Wales made his famous tour, he was compelled, that he might properly impress the natives, to ride upon an elephant and have over his head a parasol with a frame of gold, and with a covering stitched with precious jewels.

IN MEMORY OF THE DEAD OF FRANCE



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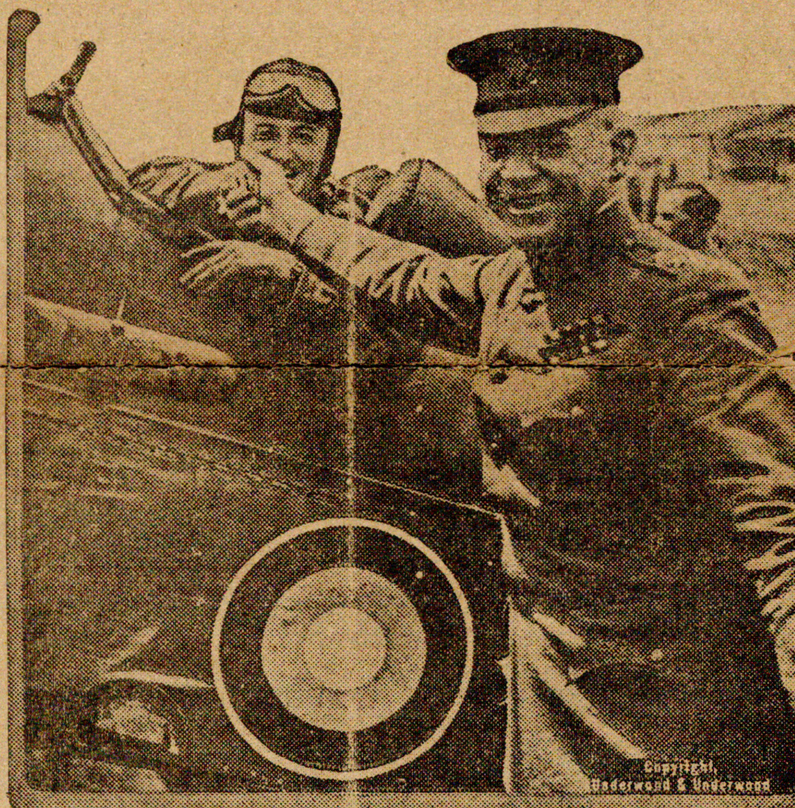
View of the cenotaph dedicated to the men who died for France in the world war, now on exhibition beside the Arch de Triumph in Paris.

STARTING ON THE RACE TO TORONTO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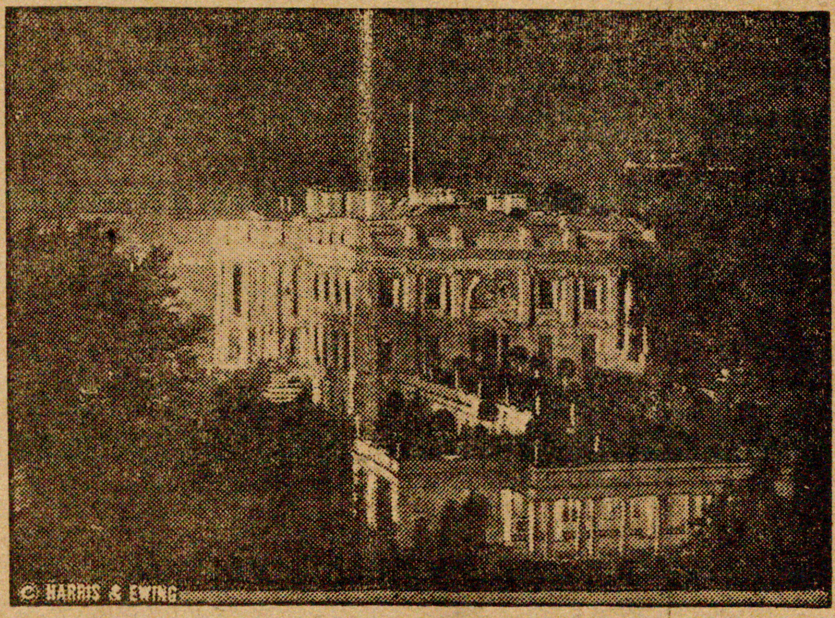
General Menoher, chief of the air service, bidding farewell to Colonel Hartley, pilot of one of the 40 planes which started on a flight from Roosevelt, Mineola, to Toronto, Canada.

WHITE HOUSE UNDER SEARCHLIGHTS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Washington was shown the effectiveness of modern searchlights in an exhibition in which the White House was illumined by powerful lights operated by army engineers. This photograph shows the executive mansion, and the east wing with the state, war and navy building in the background.

Concerning Swanking.

"Swank" is bombastic behavior or talk accompanied by ostentatiousness of manner. A "swanker" is a pretentious person who strives to impress others that he is superior to others, or something different from what he really is. The word "swank" is not a modern term; it dates back to the early years of the last century and has been found in Thomas Bachelor's "Orthoepical Analysis of the English Language," as occurring in Bedfordshire dialect. The book was published in London in 1809.

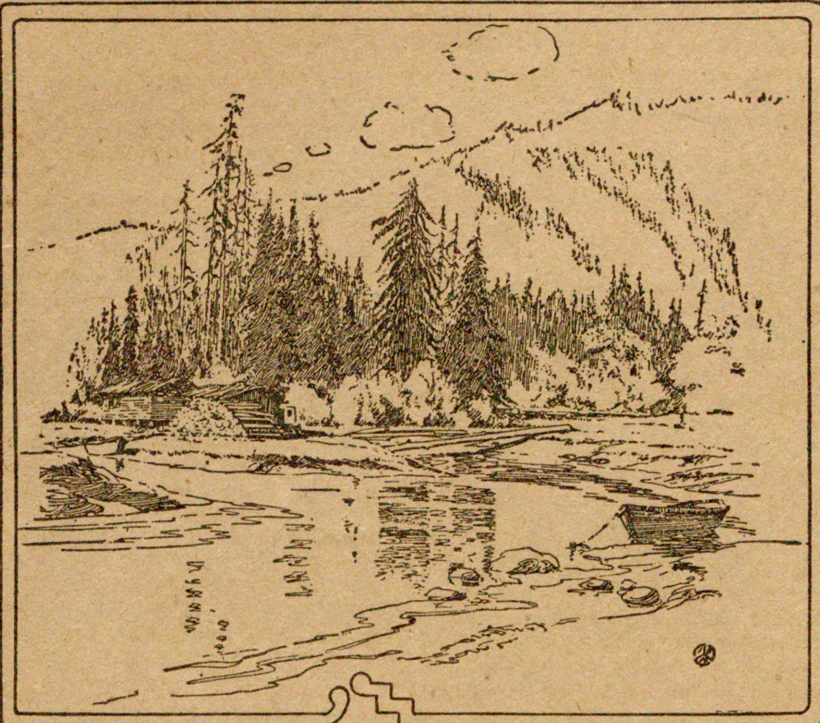
Outclassed.

Wife—"That Mrs. Brown must be an awful gossip. I never can tell her anything but what she's heard it before."—Blighty (London).

World's Largest Crater.

Dr. B. F. Griggs, who has been exploring the volcano of Mt. Katmai, in Alaska, for the National Geographical society, announces that this is the greatest crater in the world, being no less than nine miles in circumference and 3,960 feet in depth.

IN A JAPANESE WOODMEN'S CAMP



Japanese Woodcutters' Camp in British Columbia.

A LAZY creek, almost currentless through salt marshes, at low tide quite deep in its muddy bed; a salty, weedy, slightly smoky, cedary, and piney smell upon the air; windrows of kelp and other weedy drift upon the slithering slope of bank; squirt of clams, in every fairly flat place, and rippling scuttle of flounders upon the bottom; drifting moons of stray medusae luminous in the water—there is a typical woodland setting in northern British Columbia, says a writer in the Christian Science Monitor. The crow is ubiquitous, not unlike a raven; beloved he is of totemic designers and carvers, from Tillamook up to Nome, calling his hoarse "caw" from the shadows of some disheveled cedar.

On the high water mark of spring tides, ragged cedar and pessimistic-looking hemlock in silhouette against the sunny blue, purple-courses with raven-like shadow the distant mountain side. At the base of the irregularly standing timber, spared of loggers, an impenetrable thicket of sallal, salmon and button berry, blackberry bramble and whortle berry, under a taller growth of alder, willow and poplar, together mask a tangle of fallen trunks and upturned roots, amid which the epilobium, the fireweed of the Pacific coast, overtops a man's head, a spire of vibrant pinkly purple flame.

At the forks of the creek, a wide eaved bunk house, its foundation posts lifting its floor well above the dampness of the marsh, stands upon a bit of ground where solid soil, washed down from the heights, supports rank grass. Rapidly built throughout of cedar, walls and roofs of split cedar shakes, in weathered redness it has a fitness to its place. Smaller shacks near, in color and size, match piles of cordwood near the water; awaiting a scow, a favoring high tide, and transportation across the water to the city.

The Ever-Welcome "Chow."

A scrap of straw matting and a momentary glimpse of a short and sturdy figure, round and black of head, the bronze skin in quiet contrast with blue overalls, showed it to be a Japanese woodcutters' camp. The sun was high and the shadows short by the time the sketch was finished. An eruption from the woods and cordwood piles toward the bunk-house suggested possible refreshment, even if the calling of the dish-pan, banged with a stick of firewood at the door, did not. There was too much good sketching about for the artist to want to return across the harbor for such an inconsequential thing as lunch, which, however, would quite likely suggest its lack some time between then and the sundown he knew he would linger for. So, portfolio under arm, he strolled to the bunk house.

Within, on either side, were two-tiered bunks against the walls, stopping short of the further end, which, stove beneath the end window—a rear door letting in breeze and sunshine—was combined kitchen, dining room, and place of assembly. About six persons, on either side of a three-plank table covered with oilcloth, looked curiously and courteously at the stranger as he stepped within. The cook poising loaded dishes on either hand, nodded and smiled the inscrutable Japanese smile. The mention of "chow" brought a cheerful grin to three or four faces at once, and a welcoming indication of a seat at the end of the table, as the three on that side hunched along to make a place—deftly shifting food with them. In 10 seconds more—with a grave courtesy—was placed before the guest the usual food, each portion in a blue-and-white bowl; to him was apportioned a separate teapot and a handleless cup, both of palegreen seki-ware.

Art in a Woodmen's Camp.

The artist ate and conversed. Such of these woodcutters as spoke English (and they nearly all did), spoke in measured carefulness, out of which at intervals cropped a "Chinook" word or a phrase of this coast as bold amid the careful English as a single dark cedar in a green meadow. Looking about, the guest noted a print on the bunk house wall. He got up and walked across to get a better view. He knew little and cared less of names and dates familiarly spoken by parlor talkers on Japanese art, but he did feel decorative values, color and drawing, and all the rest of it—whatever it is, in short, that makes the Japanese print so interesting. This had they all, he said, as he returned to his seat. His auditors were visibly pleased, though with the reserve characteristic of their kind; the artist's neighbor pointed at his portfolio, and interrogated: "You make picture too, maybe?" and evoked admission. "You show us."

Sundry sketches of things and places near brought smiling sidewise comments of recognition, but most of all a single sketch of fir tops, dark above a morning mist, with the misty prow of a boat and the oncoming ripple of an easy tide, attracted attention. This was appreciatively passed from hand to hand, and one said: "Now we show you, maybe you like?"

Kinship of the Pastel.

From one bunk and another came curious wraps of mats and cloths, out of which again came a finely made box or roll, exposing in turn a silken bag, holding carven, founded, or wrought treasures, a kakemono wrapped in a fragment of temple silk, or a couple of shingles keeping flat between them prints of modern photographs of Japan.

Presently the table, cleared of dishes and food with approving consideration, was an exhibition field on which one and another, singly, and seriously smiling, displayed his treasure for the guest's delight. Half a dozen prints of samurai, a famous actor, a geisha, a landscape, and a couple of utter decorative abstractions, each slowly produced and lingered over, were interspersed with bits of cast and carved bronze, iron, carved ivory, kakemonos of two or three types, and even a bit or two of pottery and cloisonne.

The noon period went swiftly, protracted though it was far beyond its regular length, and ended with slow reluctance and a smiling invitation to the departing guest to "come-see again soon." Through the length of the afternoon and the years since there has lingered with the artist a satisfying sense of having met in the wilderness the fellowship of the seeing eye.

Ancient Engineering Feat.

The Chengtu irrigation system is one of the most noteworthy examples of an early engineering feat and deserves to rank with the Pyramids. The headwaters of the system are in the foothills of the Thibetan mountains at the city of Kwan Hsien, where the Eu Kiang breaks through the northern part of the plain and makes its mad rush toward the sea. The river bed falls in level 1,200 feet during its 70-mile trip along the edge of the plain. Some idea of the magnitude of the engineering task may be realized from the fact that the flow during a freshet is not far from 30,000,000 cubic feet of water a minute, approximately the flow of the Niagara river.—Asia Magazine.

COMFORT OF HOG MOST DESIRABLE

Well-Made Sanitary Wallow Is Like Coney Island Bathing Beach for Porkers.

CONCRETE TYPE IS POPULAR

Grower Faces Two Temperature Extremes in Many of Pork-Producing States—Many Farmers Neglect Proper Shelter.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is as natural for the hog to want to wallow as it is for the small boy to scurry to the old swimming hole with the first breath of spring. Hot weather is hard on fat animals, the portly porker included. That is why a well-made, sanitary hog wallow is like a Coney Island bathing beach for the hogs. A popular and serviceable type of wallow advocated by the United States department of agriculture should be made of concrete about 12 inches in depth and large enough to accommodate the herd of hogs. The wallow should be supplied with a satisfactory intake and outlet so that it can be filled about two-thirds full of water and drained every few days, or as often as is necessary to keep the pool fresh and cleanly. At the present time a test is being made at the experimental farm of the department of agriculture at Beltsville, Md., to determine the value of the cement hog wallow as a comfort for hogs. The results of this investigation will be published upon completion early in the fall.

Temperature Extremes.

The hog grower in many of the leading pork-producing states faces two temperature extremes during the year. During the winter, unless he provides comfortable houses and warm quarters, his hogs are likely to suffer from the cold, while in the summer season he must handle the animals under conditions of extreme heat. Any animal as fat as the average hog which is to be marketed in the late summer or early fall suffers greatly during hot weather, and unfortunately many hog farmers neglect to provide shelter and protection for their hogs from the extreme heat. During hot weather hogs need an abundance of shade—natural shade, such as is furnished by trees and bushes being the best.

Some of Uncle Sam's Porkers at Beltsville, Md.

Temporary Shelter.

Where natural shade and shelter are not available, the hog owner should put up a temporary shelter by building a framework about 4 feet high and thoroughly covering the top with brush, straw, grass, or hay. This inexpensive sunshade should be of sufficient size to protect a herd of hogs in comfort as they lie under it. As a rule, the ordinary hog house should not be used for shade purposes during the summer. Each year hog mortality is comparatively heavy due to "porker sunstroke" induced by maintaining the hogs in the open without sufficient protection from the ruddy glow of Old Sol's furnace.

PURE SORGHUM SEED BY ROGUEING PLATS

Go Over Field and Carefully Remove Off-Type Plants.

Work Can Be Done Easily by Man on Foot With Dwarf Varieties, While With Taller Sorts It Is Practical to Use Horse.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In order to obtain pure sorghum seed it is usually necessary to go over the field carefully after it has headed out and remove the rogues or off-type plants. Every plant which does not conform to the type which is desired should be cut down, or, better, pulled up so that there will be no danger of the production of seed from tillers produced by the rogue.

In dwarf varieties the rogueing can be done easily by a man on foot, but in the taller growing sorts it is most practical to ride through the field on horseback so that the workers can see over the top of the field and thus more readily determine the position of the rogues which must be removed. The horse can be securely muzzled to prevent injury other than that occasioned by the tramping down of plants.

Superior Sorghum Field.

It is not profitable to rogue fields which are intended for the production of grain or forage, but in the producing of seed, either for home planting or the market, careful rougeing gives returns both in dollars and cents and in the satisfaction of growing pure seed. Sorghums being open-pollinated are subject to almost endless hybridization if stray plants of other varieties are allowed to mature in the field. This intermixing of varieties results in lack of uniformity in ripening as well as in the size of the plants, thus causing difficulty in harvesting and marketing the crop. The use of pure seed varieties which are known to be adapted to the farmers' climatic conditions will be rewarded in bigger and better crops.

Forage Crops for Lambs.

In sections were permanent pastures are not abundant lambs may be fattened by the use of annual pasture crops, according to tests at the Ohio experiment station.

YOUNG ANIMALS NEED CARE

They Should Be Given Such Attention as Will Insure Them Most Favorable Start.

The young animals should require such care and attention as will give them a favorable start. Every practical animal husbandman knows that unless he is in a position to give his young animals plenty of the right kind of feed and protect them from cool rains and other animals they will not thrive. This is where a good beginning means a favorable ending.

RAISING SAME STOCK BREED

Better Prices Are Obtained for Uniform Product and Suitable Breeding Animals Secured.

There are many advantages to be gained when the stock raisers of one community raise the same breed. Better prices may be secured from the sale of a uniform product, and suitable breeding stock can be secured near home.

GOOD STRAWBERRY TILLAGE

Always Run Cultivator or Rake Through Patch Same Way to Permit Runners to Set.

Let the strawberry runners set at will within the row. In tilling strawberries, always run the cultivator or rake through the same way each time. This allows runners to set which would be uprooted by a reverse tillage. But when a row is matted over two feet deep, stretch a line and chop off and hoe up all outsiders.

MONEY IN SHEEP AND GOATS

Animals Are Not Appreciated on Many Farms Where They Could Be Made Profitable.

Sheep and goats are not properly appreciated as profitable farm animals. There are many farms where sheep and goats could be kept at very little expense and the manager of these farms better off financially for keeping them.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Need Help to Pass the Crisis Safely—Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Can be Relied Upon.

Urbana, Ill.—"During Change of Life, in addition to its annoying symptoms, I had an attack of grippe which lasted all winter and left me in a weakened condition. I felt at times that I would never be well again. I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it did for women passing through the Change of Life, so I told my doctor I would try it. I soon began to gain in strength and the annoying symptoms disappeared and your Vegetable Compound has made me a well, strong woman so I do all my own housework. I cannot recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly to women passing through the Change of Life."—Mrs. FRANK HENSON, 1316 S. Orchade St., Urbana, Ill.

Women who suffer from nervousness, "heat flashes," backache, headaches and "the blues" should try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Always the Viewpoint.

"You made me pay considerably more for this article than it is worth."

"Do you really think so?"

"I do. Don't you call that profiteering?"

"Not when I manage it. When I do anything like that I refer to it as 'salesmanship.'"

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Edith—How do you like my new photographs, dear?

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F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

The Next Best Thing.

"Is he clever?"

"I don't know. All I do know is that he has a way of making people think he is clever."

Before attacking an enemy, map out your line of retreat.

HAD TO GIVE UP

Was Almost Frantic With the Pain and Suffering of Kidney Complaint. Doan's Made Her Well.

Mrs. Lydia Shuster, 1838 Margaret St., Frankford, Pa., says: "A cold started my kidney trouble. My back began to ache and got sore and lame. My joints and ankles became swollen and painful and it felt as if needles were sticking into them. I finally had to give up and went from bad to worse.

Mrs. Shuster

"My kidneys didn't act right and the secretions were scanty and distressing. I had awful dizzy spells when everything before me turned black; one time I couldn't see for twenty minutes. Awful pains in my head set me almost frantic and I was so nervous, I couldn't stand the least noise. How I suffered! Often I didn't care whether I lived or died.

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Yes, indeed, more often than you think. Because ACID-STOMACH, starting with indigestion, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, bloat and gas, if not checked, will eventually affect every vital organ of the body. Severe, blinding, splitting headaches are, therefore, of frequent occurrence as a result of this upset condition.

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Hotel Clerk—And how did you like your room, sir?

Disgruntled Guest—It was most unsatisfactory. There was no gas with which to asphyxiate myself, no bath in which I could drown myself and no rope fire escape with which to hang myself—and all I came here for was to commit suicide.

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

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A Mean Remark.

"I hear he got his wife out of a department store." "He must have proposed on remnant day."

The loneliest man in the world is the man who really has nothing to do.

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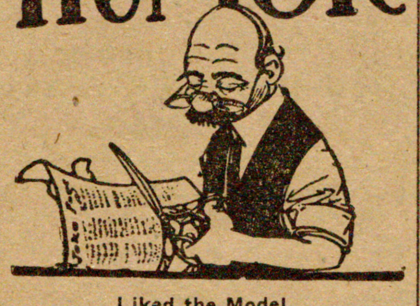
SCRAPS of HUMOR



Liked the Model.

"Oh, Mr. Kipling, is that your child?" said a gushing dame, stopping the poet on one occasion.

"Yes, madam," he answered, none too graciously.

"What a delightfully beautiful and healthy child she is."

"I am reasonably satisfied with her make," returned Kipling, and on he went.

Bad Influences.

"I wish," said Mr. Chuggins, morosely, "that they would succeed in rounding up all the auto bandits and rum runners in the world."

"They do a great deal of harm."

"Yes. And what frets me is to find every time I surrender for violating a traffic regulation that my greater fellow criminals have utterly spoiled the dispositions of the police."

Operating.

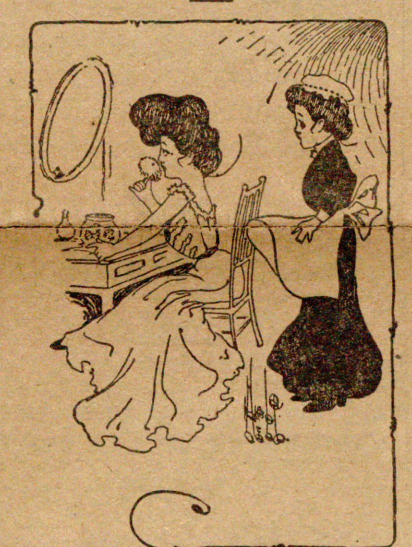
Church—Is your friend the doctor operating much now?

Gotham—Oh, yes; every day.

"Must be making a lot of money, then?"

"On the contrary, he's losing money. He's doing his operating in Wall street."

HER HOPES.



Alice—It's quite a secret, but I was married last week to Dick Gay!

Jane—Indeed! I should have thought you'd be the last person in the world to marry him.

Alice—Well, I hope I am.

Belated Recognition.

For genius so despised in life
A wondrous epitaph they plan.
'Tis strange how in this vale of strife
A funeral will improve a man.

Over the Garden Wall.

"She asked me to meet her by the garden wall."

"Yet you seem apprehensive."

"Yes; I'm afraid she intends to throw me over!"—London Tit-Bits.

Cruel Words.

Mrs. Eaton (after dining at the Socony's)—What did you think of that awful salad they compounded?

Mr. Eaton (fiercely)—Salad? What they compounded was a felony!

In at the Finish.

Askitt—What a long neck Miss Lanky has. Did you ever see her in a low-cut costume?

Tellit—Yes. Once.

Askitt—What did she look like?

Tellitt—She looked as though her dressmaker had her skinned a mile.

A Cheaper Way.

"My dear sir, nothing but an operation will save your life."

"What will it cost?"

"About 500."

"But I have only $150."

"In that case let's try what these pills will do."

An Unfashionable Problem.

Teacher—Johnny, if four men are working eleven hours a day—

Modern Youth—A moment, miss. None of those nonunion problems, please!—London Answers.

A Prudent Retreat.

"The young novelist they are lionizing here tonight has a very successful touch."

"Then let's go before they want us to meet him."

Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the *result* of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer pain in the back, headache and loss of ambition.

Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any one so.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine, will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Adv.

Demands Pie.

Bacon—I see for testing screw-threaded machine parts for extreme accuracy apparatus has been designed that projects magnified pictures of them on a screen.

Egbert—It won't do as a public attraction unless they introduce some sort of a pie into the picture.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

In Advance.

"Can't you find a loophole for me to crawl through," asked the shifty promoter.

"Of course I can," replied the equally shifty lawyer. "But—ahem—there's a little preliminary to be settled first."

"What is that?"

"I shall require a retainer of $1,000 before you start to crawl."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Freshen a Heavy Skin
With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

Gallant Valuation.

She—Whosoever wants me, must take me at my face value." He—"I'm sure that will be a fair estimate."

When you hear a man say that he is tired of the world it's a safe bet that the world is tired of him.

HEARD OVER THE TELEPHONE

City Editor Gets a Little Important Information Concerning a Certain Uriah Umson.

Here's a bona fide telephone conversation:

"'Lo."

"Hello."

"I gotta little ad for the paper."

"An advertisement?"

"No. It's about a friend of mine."

"Oh. I'll be pleased to take it."

"Just say Uriah Umson is convasselling."

"Con-VASS-elling?"

"Yes."

"What kind of a business is that?"

"It isn't a business. It's a sickness."

"Oh, I'm so sorry."

"Yes. He's a soldier boy."

"Well, that IS too bad."

"You see, he was hurt, and now he is con-vass-elling."

"Oh, I see, I see."

"Yes. He's con-vass-elling after being on the cas-u-AL-ity list."—Youngstown Telegram.

Poor Selection.

An Indianapolis newspaper man tarried so long at the home of his best girl one Saturday night that it was the owl car period when he found himself starting for home. After walking a few blocks through the silent streets with no car in sight he was suddenly confronted by a holdup man, who thrust a revolver in his face and demanded his money. The newspaper man was anxious to comply with this request as long as the revolver remained in sight, but all he could scrape together was 62 cents. He handed the whole amount, including the two pennies to the robber.

"Here, take it back," said the robber with a leer. "Anybody who has only 62 cents on Saturday night ought to keep it."

Giving It Wings.

Redd—Why all this fuss about the aeroplanes, blimps and other air conveyors making trips across the Atlantic?

Greene—Well, you know the war is over.

"Of course I know the war is over."

"Well, you see the government must still devise some means of making the people's money fly."—Yonkers Statesman.

Exactly.

"I keep telling my boy to aim high, impressing on him that 'not failure but low aim is crime.'"

"I see; in teaching the young idea to shoot you use a Maxim."

If a newspaper is dull, filing doesn't improve it.

The chronic bore makes a big hole in a man's busy day.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

BAYER

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Sounded Like Destruction.

A large canteen connected with a certain industrial enterprise in a country town has its kitchen in such close proximity to the dining room that the clatter of dishes becomes at times quite overpowering.

Father had taken little Robert with him to lunch. After listening to the clash and clatter of the carelessly handled crockery, Robert asked: "Father, don't they want to use the dishes any longer?"

A SUMMER COLD

A cold in the summer time, as everybody knows, is the hardest kind of a cold to get rid of. The best and quickest way is to go to bed and stay there if you can, with a bottle of "Boschee's Syrup" handy to insure a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning.

But if you can't stay in bed you must keep out of draughts, avoid sudden changes, eat sparingly of simple food and take occasional doses of Boschee's Syrup, which you can buy at any store where medicine is sold, a safe and efficient remedy, made in America for more than fifty years. Keep it handy.—Adv.

Dirigible Talk.

Mrs. Flatbush—You know Mrs. Gowanus, do you not?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—Oh, yes, indeed.

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Division of Samoan Islands.

By the agreement of December 2, 1899, among the United States, Great Britain and Germany, the Samoan islands were divided between the United States and Germany, Great Britain retiring and accepting compensation for her retirement in the form of colonial concessions elsewhere in the world. This agreement ended a long series of outbreaks and disorder in the islands amounting to a state of civil war, due, it was charged at the time, to the intrigue and aggression of the Germans.

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Full line of fruit for Saturday

Frankfort

Miss Elda Bobzin is recovering from a severe attack of blood poisoning.

Charles Peters has purchased the residence occupied by the J. M. Clark family who will move into the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Heusner expect to leave next week for Berkley, Cal., to join their son. If they like it there they expect to make their future home in the Golden state. Mr. Heusner has been connected with Mr. Eisenbrandt in the blacksmith business for many years.

CHURCH NOTICES.

The communion will be served at the Methodist church next Sunday morning by the Rev. J. L. Matlack.

Mrs. George Mitchell entertained the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church in monthly session Thursday.

The annual Mission Fest and Ernte Dank Fest will be observed at the St. Peter's German Evangelical Church Sunday, September 28th. There will be three special services. The regular service in the morning at the usual hour. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock a special service will be held at which the Rev. Wm. Kreis of St. John's Evangelical church of Mokena and the Rev. Mr. Shroschein will be principal speakers. In the evening the chief sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Huldgrof of Bloomingdale, Ill., brother of Mrs. G. Lambrecht.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. Lambrechts leave this week on a two weeks vacation to be spent in Moline with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Berst. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lambrecht also expect to motor to Moline this week.

The Amite Club was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. George Elsner.

FRANKFORT LOSES.

Frankfort ball fans journeyed to Manhattan Sunday to witness the game between Frankfort and Manhattan. The game was a very live one, but despite the best efforts of the Frankfort players they could not stem the tide of defeat. The score was 7 to 11 in favor of Manhattan.

Tinley Park

Next Sunday there will be no Sunday school at the Zion Lutheran church, but the regular church services will be held and the communion will be observed. Rev. A. Burrenhagen preached in Joliet Sunday evening, supplying Rev. Mr. Lehman's pulpit.

Last Wednesday the Ladies' Aid society of the Zion Lutheran church met. It was voted to direct a supper on October 9 at the Saenger hall.

George Lorenz, proprietor of the Linden Garden, will hold a harvest picnic September 20. Prizes will also be awarded for best exhibits of vegetables, fruits, etc.

Doctor Ickstadt conducted an examination of the school children at Mokena Tuesday afternoon. He examined them for adenoids and tonsils and tested their eyes.

Womanly Wit.

A young lady whose dramatic ability was greater than her personal attractions called on a popular manager with the view of obtaining a part. The manager chatted about the value of good looks to a woman, ending up with, "Beauty is to a woman what brains are to a man." "There's only one thing more valuable to a man than brains," said the young lady. "What's that?" asked the manager. "Tact!" was the reply.

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World's Skating Record.

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